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Request for Continued Examination (RCE) Transmittal

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Inventor(s): Guggenbichler et al
Application No. : 10/060,835
Filed: January 30, 2002
Title: PROCESS FOR PREPARING ANTIMICROBIAL PLASTIC BODIES HAVING IMPROVED LONG-TIME PERFORMANCE

Group Art Unit: 1732
Examiner: Mark Eashoo

This is a Request for Continued Examination (RCE) under 37 C.F.R. § 1.114 of the above-identified application.

1. Submission required under 37 C.F.R. § 1.114

- a. ☒ Previously submitted
- i. ☒ Consider the amendment(s)/reply under 37 C.F.R. § 1.116 previously filed on January 17, 2006.
- (Any unentered amendment(s) referred to above will be entered).
- ii. ☐ Consider the arguments in the Appeal Brief or Reply Brief previously filed on ____.
- iii. ☐ Other ____.
- b. ☐ Enclosed
- i. ☐ Amendment/Reply
- ii. ☐ Affidavit(s)/Declaration(s)
- iii. ☐ Information Disclosure Statement (IDS)/Supplemental IDS

2. ☐ A Request for Extension of Time is being filed concurrently.

3. ☒ Please use the correspondence address associated with **Customer Number 33072**.

4. Fees (The RCE fee under 37 C.F.R. § 1.17(e) is required by 37 C.F.R. § 1.114 when the RCE is filed.)

- a. ☐ The Director is hereby authorized to charge the following fees or any additional fees to:
Deposit Account No. 50-1775.
- i. ☐ RCE fee required under 37 C.F.R. § 1.17(e) (\$790.00)
- ii. ☐ Other ____
- b. ☒ Check in the amount of \$790.00 is enclosed. The Director is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees to Deposit Account No. 50-1775. Although Applicants considers this RCE as timely submitted within the three month shortened statutory reply period, this authorization includes the fee for any extension of time under 37 CFR 1.136(a) that may be necessary. To the extent any such extension should become necessary, it is hereby requested.

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Respectfully submitted,

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